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WEEKLY STEAM COMMUNICATION WITH THE MALABAR COAST, CEYLON, MADRAS, AND CALCUTTA.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under contract with Government, will despatch the S. S. "EMAURA," 1942 Tons, 200 H. P., Commander H. B. Smith, on SATURDAY, the 20th April 1878, at 5 p.m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Nagapatam, Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Callingapatam, Gopalpore, False Point, and at any other place where inducement offers.

Cargo for Singapore and China can be booked fortnightly by the steamers on this line hence or from intermediate ports for transhipment at Galle to the Steamers of the Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes de la France which run regularly.

N.B.—No shipping orders will be granted on the day of sailing.

W. NICOL & Co., Agents.

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Interchanging Cargo and Passengers at Bussorah, to and from Bagdad, with the Euphrates and Tigris Steam Navigation Company or other Steamers.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (Limited), under Contract with Government, will despatch the GOA, 1905 Tons, 206 H. P., Commander J. Smith, on THURSDAY, the 18th April 1878, at 4 p.m., to the PERSIAN GULF, touching at KURRACHEE, GWADUR, JASK, BUNDERABBAS, LINGAH, BUSHIRE, FAO, BUSREH, and occasionally at BAHREIN and MAHUMEERAH.

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The S. S. GOA, 1905 Tons, 206 H. P., Commander J. Smith, will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 18th April 1878, at 4 p.m.

N. B.—No shipping orders will be granted on the day of sailing.

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THE REGULAR STEAMERS LEAVE GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th, on the 1st *of each month.*

For extra steamers see list given below.

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	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	
Aden	£33	....	....	£4
Suez	36	....	22	6
Port Said	36	....	24	6
Messina	50	....	34	14
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Leghorn	50	....	34	14
Genoa	50	....	34	14
Marseilles	53	....	35	14-10

Without Stoppages / Stopping at Ports

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 10 years, half fare.

NEXT STEAMERS FROM BOMBAY:—

ARABIA, to sail on WEDNESDAY, 1st May 1878.
AUSTRALIA, to sail on SATURDAY, 1st June 1878.
ASSIRIA, to sail on MONDAY, 1st July 1878.
ARABIA, to sail on THURSDAY, 1st August 1878.
AUSTRALIA, to sail on SUNDAY, 1st September 1878.

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No. 2, Hummum Street.

Bombay, Feb. 4, 1878.

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THE following or other First Class Steamers of the HALL LINE will sail from Bombay as under.

	Tons. H.P.	From Bombay.
BRANKSOME HALL	2,160 380	May 29
*RYDALL HALL	2,700 350	June 15
TRENTHAM HALL	2,100 300	June 29
CITY OF BALTIMORE	2,300 300	At
*SPEKE HALL	2,700 350	fortnightly intervals.
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To LIVERPOOL ..... Rs. 500

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For Three months £80, Home and back.
For Six months, 30 per cent on the Return Fare.
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Passages are also available by this Line to Naples or Genoa, via Suez and Alexandria, in connection with the Rubattino S. N. Company from Alexandria.
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THE following or other First Class Steamers of the Anchor Line will sail from Bombay as under:—

	Tons. H.P.	From Bombay.
INDIA	2,889 500	...April 20
MADONNA	2,773 486	...May 1
TRINACRIA	2,107 424	,, 8
EUROPA	2,377 424	
ITALIA	2,345 434	At fortnightly intervals.
OLYMPIA	2,059 424	

RATES OF PASSAGE MONEY.

To Naples ..... Rs. 400
To Liverpool ..... ,, 500

RATE FOR RETURN FARES.

For Three months £80, Home and back.
For Six months, 30 per cent. on the Return Fare.
For Twelve months, 10 per cent. on the Return Fare.

Passengers desirous of making a short stay in Italy, may disembark at Naples and proceed on to Liverpool by the following steamer, and passengers disembarking at Naples can have their heavy baggage taken on to Liverpool without any extra charge.

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Bombay November 13, 1877.

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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched for EUROPE:—

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captain.	1878.	
— SUMATRA	2483	450	C. Anderson	15th April
(a) BOKHARA	2932	450	W. D. Anderson	22nd do
— BANGALORE	2063	500	E. G. Stead	29th do
(c) HINDUSTAN	3143	600	W. W. Hazlewood	6th May.
— CHINA	2016	400	T. Alderton	13th do
(c) KHEDIVH	3742	600	J. D. Steward	20th do
— KASHGAR	2621	450	E. J. Baker	27th do
(c) VENETIA	3726	450	W. B. Andrews	31st do

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (c) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Ancona, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock Head, Mazagon, at 3 P.M. on the day of sailing.

For Passage &c., apply to

J. R. KELLOCK,
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Bombay, 5th April 1878.

TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, AND JAPAN.

THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports, carrying H. M.'s Mails, and taking also Passengers and Cargo for Madras and Calcutta:—

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	
LOMBARDY	3723 450	J. Orman	16th April.
THIBET	2593 400	J. H. Torbock	29th ,, Monday.
KHIVA	2909 450	G. Lee	13th May
TEHERAN	2589 400	A. H. Johnson	27th ,,

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Bombay, 5th April 1878.

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THE following Steamers will be despatched for the above ports:—

Vessels.	Tons. H.P.	Captains.	
SIAM	3000 500	G. N Hector	....26th April.
ARGYLL	3093 500	N. Stewart	....24th May.

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Bombay, 5th April 1878.

P. & O. S. N. COMPANY.

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Bombay to Brindisi or Venice and back (including transit through Egypt)	Rs. 950
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BOARDERS—For Breakfast only do. ,, 20
BOARDERS—For Tiffin only do. ,, 25
BOARDERS—For Dinner only do. ,, 30

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Cusénier's Fine Brandy	,,	24 ,,
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Chablis ,,	,,	16 ,,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

THE ACCOUNTANT GENERAL'S, PAPER CURRENCY, AND MONEY ORDER OFFICES will be CLOSED on THURSDAY, FRIDAY, and SATURDAY next, the 18th, 19th, and 20th instant, on account of the EASTER HOLIDAYS.

W. E. GORDON,
Acting Accountant General and Commissioner of Issue.

Bombay, 13th April 1878.

WANTED, for the Amraoti Municipality, an ENGINEER SECRETARY, Salary Rs. 125 per mensem. The qualifications required are: a knowlege of English and Marathi sufficient for all correspondence and office routine work; and of Engineering, Plan-Drawing, Estimating, Survey, and Levelling; and a general knowledge of Sanitation, Town Drainage, and Water supply.

Apply, with copies of testimonials, to the DEPUTY COMMISSIONER, Amraoti District.

Amraoti, 10th April 1878.

NOTICE.

AN ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the BOMBAY ASSOCIATION will be held at 5-30 p.m. on TUESDAY, the 16th instant, at the Framjee Cowasjee Institute, for the adoption of the eighth, ninth, and tenth Annual Reports of the Managing Committee, including account.

Members and donors of the Association are requested to attend.

YASAVANT WASUDEV ATHALYE,
Secretary.

Bombay Association Rooms, Sassoon B. E. Circle, 16, Marine Street, Fort, 13th April 1878.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the PARTNERSHIP which subsisted between the undersigned and FRAMJEE JAMSETJEE and MOHUNLAL BECHERDASS under the style and Firm of JEEWANJEE and MOHUNLAL was DISSOLVED by MUTUAL CONSENT on and as and from the 27th day of February 1878, and that Mohunlal Becherdass, who continued the business under the same name since that date will RECEIVE and PAY ALL THE DEBTS and LIABILITIES of the said Partnership.—Dated this 13th day of April 1878.

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ESTATE of JOHN O'LEARY, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, First Judge of the Bombay Court of Small Causes, deceased.

PURSUANT to Act XXVIII. of 1866 of the Legislative Council of India, entitled the Trustees and Mortgagees' Powers Act 1866 NOTICE is hereby given, that ALL PERSONS being CREDITORS or otherwise having any CLAIMS upon or against the Estate of the above-named deceased who died in Bombay on the 28th day of December 1877, and LETTERS of ADMINISTRATION of whose Estate were thereout the Presidency of Bombay (with the Will annexed) were GRANTED on the 10th day of April, instant, by the High Court of Judicature at Bombay to GEORGE SANDERSON LYSCH, of Bombay, Solicitor, the duly constituted attorney of MARGARET O'LEARY, the widow of the said deceased, and the sole executrix named in the said Will, are required on or before TUESDAY, the 30th day of April 1878, to send to the undersigned at their Office, No. 5, Church Lane, Fort, Bombay, the particulars of their claims upon or against the Estate of the said deceased, and that at the expiration of such time the administrator will hand over the whole of the ASSETS of the said deceased to the said Margaret O'Leary, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice. ALL PERSONS INDEBTED to the Estate of the deceased or HAVING PROPERTY of the deceased in their hands are hereby required to pay such debts and deliver such property to the said Administrator.—Dated this 12th day of April 1878.

LYNCH & TOBIN,
Solicitors, Bombay.

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FINE OLD PALE COGNAC (Treacher's celebrated Heart Labelled), pure, soft and delicate, per dozen	30	0
OLD PALE BRANDY, a Choice matured Spirit	27	0
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These well-known Spirits, unequalled for purity and softness, find an increasing sale throughout India.

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The prices quoted below are for Cash only.

	Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.		Rs.	a.
Deck Suits ..... 10 to	15	8	Travelling Hats	4	8	English horse hair pillows	7	8
Overland Suits	27	0	Cardigan Jackets ..9-8 to	12	8	Folding Camp Bedstead	60	0
Warm Suits ..... 30 to	40	0	Shirts, per pair	9	8	Cork Mattresses	23	0
Boys' Sailor Suits	9	8	Pillow Cases, each ..1-4 to	2	8	Cotton do	15	0
Overcoats and Ulsters from ..... 35 to	65	0	Blankets ..... each	10	8	Rug Straps ..... 1-8 to	2	8
Dressing Gowns from 9 to	20	0	Long Rugs or Scotch Maude ..... 10 to	10	5	Waterproof Coats	10	0
Pyjamas	5	0	Rezais or Quilts	5	8	42-Inch White Waterproof	6	8
Oxford Shirts, Collar attached	5	0	Portmanteaus or Overland Trunks ..12-8 to	23	0	Linen Faced Cuffs per doz.	0	12
White do	5	0	Solid Leather do	49	0	Linen Cuffs per dos	13	8
French Cambric do., Collar attached	5	0	Extra Large do	75	0	Linen Collars ..... do.	0	12
English Cambric do	4	0	Black Hide Bags	11	8	Cambric Handkerchiefs	5	0
Best Shrunk Flannel do..	8	0	Extra large do	24	0	Warm Gloves	1	8
Silk and Wool do	8	8	Gladstone Bags	35	0	Oriental Tooth Paste	1	8
Spun Silk do	10	0	Ladies' Hand Bags	7	8	Mitts	1	8
Gents' Under Vests 8 to	6	0	Travelling Writing Cases fitted	11	4	Mufflers	2	12
Bathing Drawers	2	0	Gents' Bags, fitted complete	72	0	Pins, Scarf	1	12
Gents' Under Pants	3	0	Ladies' Carriage Bags, fitted complete	58	8	Sailors' Knots	1	12
Gents' Cotton Socks, dos..	2	8	Gents' Dressing Cases..	11	8	Windsors for Bow or Sling ..... 2-8 to	4	0
Ladies' Cashmere Hose	3	8	Ladies' Dressing Cases, fitted complete ..25 to	35	0	Gents' Canvas Shoes	3	8
Ladies' Under Vests 4-8 to	6	8	Gents' Slippers	2	8	Ladies' Slippers	2	8
Ladies' White Cotton Hose	2	0	Ladies' Slippers, Dressing Cases, complete .. 25 to	35	0	Gents' Pigskin Dressing Cases, complete .. 25 to	35	0
Ladies' Heather Merino Hose dos	9	0	Solled Linen Bags, all sizes ..... 5 to	6	0	China Bath Slippers	1	8
Children's White Cotton Socks, from dos. .6-8 to	12	8	Courier Bags ..9-8 to	12	8	Filters for Travellers covered Wicker, from ..	14	0
Heather Merino do. 6-8 to	12	8	Money Belts ..... 2-8 to	6	8	Pocket Filters	3	8
Ladies' Sun and Travelling Hats, from ..... 6 to	15	0	Sovereign Bags ..... 3-8 to	6	0	Air Tight Uniform cases.	23	0
Travelling Caps	4	8	Tiffin Baskets fitted, 16 to	22	8	Sovereign Bags	1	0
Travelling Sun Helmet Caps ..... 6-8 to	8	8	Air Pillows	5	0	Sponge Bags	1	8
Dress Boots and Shoes from	12	8	Travelling do	1	8	Sponges	3	8
			English Feather do	7	8	Soap Boxes	1	8
			Ashantee Hammock from 10	8		Travelling do ..... per 100	30	0
			Sawmy Jewellery, &c., &c.	1	8	Silber's Patent Lamps 7-8 to	35	0
						Hat Guards	0	8

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Deck Suits ..... from	10	0	Hand Bags	11	0	Fine Irish Linen Collars ..... ,,	6	8
Overland Suits ..... ,,	35	0	Best Hide Gladstone ...	32	0	Scarfs, for Pin ..... from	1	0
Warm Cheviot ..... ,,	35	0	Fitted Dressing Pouches	20	0	,, tie ..... ,,	1	12
Overcoats, Whitney ,,	45	0				Sailor's Knot ,,	1	12
Do. for Evening ,,	22	0				Gloves, Warm, Berlin ,,	2	0
Cardigan Jackets ... ,,	9	8	Sheets ..... p. pr.	9	8	Mitts ..... ,,	1	12
,, ,, ,,	11	8	Blankets, fine Scarlet ,,	22	0	Mufflers, Warm ..... ,,	1	0
			Blankets, fine White Whitney ..... p. pr.	25	0	Braces, best quality ,,	2	0
Dressing Gowns ..from	10	0	Rugs, Long Striped			Travelling Baths, Whitney ..... ,,	20	0
Sleeping Suits ...6-8 to	16	0	Maude ..... ,,	16	0	Dressing Trunk ..... ,,	30	0
Shirts Fine Long-cloth	22	8	Mauds, Fine Scotch..from	22	0	Hats, Soft Tweed	5	0
,, Superfine	26	0	Pillows, Travelling ...	2	8	,, Felt, various shapes ..... from	7	8
,, Printed Cambric ...	30	0	,, Horse Hair ...	7	8	Helmets, Pith ..... ,,	6	8
,, Oxford			,, Steamed Feather ..	7	8	,, White Cork ..... ,,	14	8
,, Cloth	36	0	Cases for above ..... each	4	0	Pugrees ..... ,,	1	8
,, Flannel	54	0	Toilet Covers ..... ,,	1	0	Caps, Tweed ..... ,,	3	8
,, Silk & Wool	52	0	Cork Mattrasses	22	0	,, Balmoral ..... ,,	3	8
,, Spun Silk ..	67	0	Towels, general use ..pr.	2	0	,, Turban ..... ,,	3	8
Under Vests ..... from	14	0	Towels, Turkish Bath, six	10	8			
,, ,, ...	24	0	Napkins, fine Damask, dos	10	8			
Socks, Cotton pr. dos ,,	10	8	Money Belts ..... each	4	8	Umbrellas, Alpaca ..from	6	8
Socks Merino ..... ,,	21	0	Sovereign Boxes ..... ,,	3	0	,, Silk ..... ,,	11	8
Cambric Handkerchiefs ..... ,,	5	0	Purses, Solid Leather ,,	3	0	,, Gun ..... ,,	7	8
Linen Faced Collars ..... ,,	0	14	Chairs, Folding, for Travellers ..... from	9	8	Trunks, Overland ..from	22	0
			Waterproof Sheeting, 72" wide per yard	6	8	,, for Rail	12	8
						,, Solid Leather ...	50	0
						Bags, Courier or Cash..	6	12
						,, Solled Linen ...	5	8

	Rs.	a.
Hand Mirrors, Folding ...	2	4
Hair Brushes, in Leather Cases ..... per pair	10	0
Combs, in Case ..... each	0	12
,, Toilet	1	0
Nail Brushes ..... from	1	14
Tooth ,, ...	0	10
Brushes for above ..as. 3	1	4
Clothes Brushes ..... from	1	4
Hat ,, ...	1	4
Shoe ,, ...	0	14
Bath Sponges	3	8
Sponge Bags	1	12
Soap, Marine pr box of 3 Cakes	1	4
Do. Toilet	1	4
Soap, Boxes, metal	2	0
Perfumes	1	12
Eau de Cologne, the genuine	1	0
Lavender Water (Rainsburry's)	2	0
Pommade (Atkinson's) ...	1	4
Lime Juice and Glycerine	0	10
Razors	2	8
Nail Scissors	1	8
Pocket Knives	2	0
Shaving Brushes	2	0
Railway Keys	2	8

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

SATURDAY EVENING, 13TH APRIL 1878.

WITH the political situation in Europe as unsettled as ever, and nothing new on this side to affect trade for the better, we have had another week of great dulness and depression, in every branch of business. Imports of all kinds find but a small demand with little hope of an improvement until after next rains; and in exports, owing to the short supplies of produce, transactions are more on a scale which we usually look for about February, than in April, generally the busiest month of the year. Freights remain very depressed at £1 per ton for Liverpool both by steamers and sailing ships, and even at that there is not employment for anything like the larger amount of tonnage available. Our local Spinning and Weaving industry, too, suffers severely from the absence of demand for manufactures. Notwithstanding the partial adoption of short time a few weeks ago the stocks of Goods and Yarns continue to accumulate, and one of the largest mills in the place is suspending operations altogether until prospects improve, an example which it is not at all unlikely some of the other companies may follow. After such a lengthened period of depression, it speaks well, however, for the basis on which trade is now conducted, that we have had nothing in the shape of commercial disasters to report, and when the tide does turn therefore we may very fairly infer that we shall be in a good position for turning it to advantage.

MONEY.—The last published return of the Bank of Bombay was not of a character to affect the Market either way. The Government balances showed a reduction of 18½ lacs, but this was fully made up by the falling off in the trade demand, and the Cash Balance had increased by nearly two lacs. The movements since the return are generally believed to have been unimportant, and the coming statement is not expected to show any material change in the position. In the meantime, the Market remains practically unaltered, the Bank's advertised rates of discount and interest, being still 8 per cent. on fixed and 9 per cent. on demand loans, secured by Government Paper, whilst in the Bazaar accommodation is still obtainable at about 6 to 7 per cent. per annum.

EXCHANGE.—With the inactivity prevailing in general business we have naturally had a very quiet week in Sterling Exchange, the transactions being unimportant, while rates have been singularly free from fluctuation. Business opened for the Mail on Tuesday morning on the basis of 1s. 8 11-16d. for demand Bank and 1s. 9d. for 3 months' sight Credit Bills, but on Wednesday a decline of 1-16d. was established in the latter, and since then no change whatever has occurred, the closing quotations, being:—Bank Bills on demand 1s. 8 11-16d.; 6 months' sight 1s. 9d.; Credits, 3 months' sight 1s. 8 15-16d.; 6 months' 1s. 9½d.; Documents, 3 months' sight 1s. 9d.; 6 months' 1s. 9 1-16d. per rupee.

The steadiness with which these rates, or very close upon them, had been so long maintained in the face of a limited export trade, would appear to indicate that the Market has at last settled down to a level from which we are not likely to see any very severe fluctuations, so long as Silver developes no indication of weakness. The price in London, according to Reuter, has receded from 54½d. to 53½d. per oz., but even at the latter it is equivalent to 1s. 8 11-16d. per rupee, and considering the entire absence of demand for this side for weeks back this is sufficient to show greater inherent strength than has hitherto been apparent. It is now evident, in fact, that had we had a better export season there would have been room for a considerable advance in rates. As it is, the 50 lacs of Council Drafts weekly is enough to provide for the requirements of trade on its present basis, and so long as the drawings are maintained on that scale—which will probably be up to the end of May at least—the exchange still value of the rupee is not likely to advance. The last weekly biddings in London on Wednesday gave £300,000 to Calcutta and £200,000 to Bombay at an average of 1s. 8·683., tenders at 1s. 8 11-16d., receiving 43 per cent. on Calcutta and 50 per cent. on Bombay.

There was some enquiry for demand bills on Calcutta in the early part of the week, and business was done at ¼ per cent. premium, but the rate has since receded to ⅛ to 3-16 per cent. premium. For 60 days' sight the nominal quotation remains at 1 per cent. discount.

On China there is nothing doing, and the current quotation for 60 days' sight Mercantile Bills, continues at Rs. 218 per 100 dollars.

From Hongkong the latest rates wired for 6 months' sight Bank Bills on London is 3s. 11d. per dollar and from Shanghai 5s. 5¾d. per tael.

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.—To begin with, the feeling was dull and inactive, and rates, if anything, showed a downward tendency, but more confidence has been apparent of late, a fair enquiry has prevailed, and an advance of ¼ per cent. has taken place in Fours and Fours-and-a-half which we now quote at Rs. 93¾. Fives-and-a-half are firm at Rs. 103.

SHARES.—There has been less depression apparent latterly, and for the first time for weeks past we have to notice a pretty general improvement in rates. *Bank* shares are firmer, and we have to notice an improvement of 1¾ per cent. in Bank of Bombay which now stand at Rs. 600, and Rs. 2 in National which are quoted at Rs. 110. *Land* Companies have undergone some improvement, consequent on a reported probable increase in the Government offers for the foreshore properties. Colabas have risen Rs. 45, Feroes Rs. 3, and Port Cannings Rs. 5 per share. Mazagons are unchanged at Rs. 800. *Press* property is not, as a rule, in favour, but the few fluctuations which have taken place this week have been mostly in favour of sellers. Apollo have advanced Rs. 150, Bellary Rs. 20, Berar Rs. 5, and Fort Press Rs. 20 per share, the only decline being Rs. 20 in Indian press. *Spinning and Weaving* Companies are somewhat irregular. An improvement has taken place in the shares of some companies, but there is nothing in the position of the industry at the moment to warrant an upward movement. We quote an advance of Rs. 90 in Albert Mills, Rs. 50 in Alexandra, Rs. 25 in Alliance, Rs. 20 in Morarjee Goculdass, Rs. 15 in Dhurrumsey and Manockjee Petit, and Rs. 5 in Nursey. On the other hand, a decline of Rs. 15 has taken place in Sassoon, Rs. 10 in Bombay Hemp and Jute, Coorla, and Great Eastern and Rs. 5 per share in Broach Mills, Colaba, Khutao Muncherjee, and Mandvie.

PIECE GOODS.—A slightly better demand was experienced in the Bazaar during the earlier part of the week, but it was only of a very temporary character and had no effect on the demand from first hands which throughout has remained slow in the extreme. The estimated clearance for the week ending 6,000 packages from the Bazaar and 350 packages from first hands, a miserably small business for the time of year, but looking to the surroundings of the Market there seems no hope of an improvement until after the rains, and only then should the grain crops turn out well. In the interval the consumption can scarcely fail to remain limited, while supplies are large and the Market will do as well as can be expected of it if present prices are maintained.

In Grey Shirtings the descriptions in most request are the light weights of 40 inch, 6 lb, and under which command fair rates, and some business has also been done in the lower qualities of 8¼ lb., but with these exceptions the demand is poor and clearances on a most limited scale. Printers are dull, and prices are only supported by reduced supplies. In Madapollams, Jaconets, and Mulls there has been a shade more doing but not at any better rates, supplies being liberal. In T. Cloths there is only a small business passing, and Dhoties are dull at slightly lower rates, while Long Cloths and Domestics remain as before perfectly stagnant. In Bleached Goods rather more attention has been paid to Jacconets and Mulls, but other descriptions are dull, and Shirtings especially so. Dyed and Printed and Turkey Red Goods, remain as before depressed, and only saleable at extremely low prices. For local made goods the enquiry remains slow, and stocks are accumulating in the hands of Mills.

YARNS.—There is not much to notice in the demand for Yarns either English or local. Supplies are considerably ahead of present wants, and business is only practicable at a reduction from current quotations. Nominally we do not alter prices, except for 30s Water and 30s Mule, in which a reduction of ¼ anna per lb. must be noted.

METALS.—*Copper.*—The enquiry this week has been on a slightly more active scale, and sellers have met it freely at reduced rates, our prices showing a reduction of As. 8 to Re. 1 per cwt. In *Yellow Metal* there has also been a fair business doing, but we cannot quote any change in rates. *Iron* continues as before, dull and somewhat difficult of sale. Prices are unaltered, but certainly not tending upwards, supplies being large.

COALS.—A somewhat quieter feeling prevails at the close, owing to the more pacific interpretation generally attached to the later political advices, but otherwise the Market has been strong throughout with an advance of Re. 1 to Re. 1-8 per ton in prices to arrive. There are no fresh cargoes offering, however, and business is consequently very restricted, but this very fact constitutes the strongest feature in the Market, as whether present political complications should result in war or not, the paucity of supplies would tend to support prices. The only transactions reported during the week have been the resale of the cargo of Davison's West Hartley per Goshawk at Rs. 20, of which a portion has since changed hands at Rs. 20½, and the sale of a cargo of the Lowpen West Hartley ex-ship Canonore now in harbour at Rs. 19 per ton alongside. Cardiff is very scarce, and has been selling to steamers at Rs. 22½ per ton delivered on board.

COTTON.—The telegrams from Liverpool in the early part of the week reported firm markets especially for arrivals, and prices here advanced Re. 2 to Re. 3 per candy in consequence, but the Home advices have been dull with declining prices, but this has had no effect here except to render buyers less willing to do business, the paucity of supplies rendering sellers very firm. And as we reported by last mail this is a position which seems likely to be maintained throughout the remainder of the season, every day showing more distinctly that we have to deal with a very small crop. Old Dholleras supplies continue quite insignificant, thus confirming the worst reports previously received of the deficient yield, and as supplies of Omrawuttee are daily getting into smaller compass, it is evident that the balance of the season will witness a very restricted business, no quantity of Dharwar or Compta being likely to be available before the monsoon. Up to date the actual sailings from this port show an excess of about 10,000 bales over the same period last year, but we had then still to receive the larger portion of a fairly good Dholleras crop which this season scarcely exists, so that an estimate of 700,000 bales for the six months represents what most people consider quite an outside figure.

The *purchases* of Cotton since the departure of last mail, in this Market alone, are up a total of about 15,000 bales, consisting of about 700 bales Old Dhollers, 250 bales Old Compta, and 50 bales of New Compta for local consumption, 250 bales New Veravul, 750 bales New Dholleras, 200 bales New Hingunghaut, 530 bales Ginned Broach, and 12,500 bales New Omrawuttee.

The *Receipts* from up-country during the week have been 35,832 bales, against 31,720 bales last week and 62,496 bales for the corresponding week last year. The total receipts since 1st September last is 582,866 against 663,018 bales for the corresponding period last season.

The *Clearances* for Sea since last Mail left have been 43,608 bales, making a total of 358,448 since 1st January against 348,106 bales for the same time last year.

The following are to-day's quotations for Cotton with equivalents in Sterling Cost and Freight to Liverpool, via Canal without commission:—

New, Full-weight.				₹ Candy	C. & F. ℔.
Broach Ginned	Good Ready	Nominal	Re.	308	= 5¼d.
Do.	F. G. F.	,,	,,	198	= 3¼d.
Hinguughaut	Good	,,	,,	297	= 5¼d.
Do.	F. G. F.	,,	,,	198	= 3¼d.
Comrawuttee	Good	,,	,,	193	= 3 1/16d.
Do.	F. G. F.	,,	,,	184	= 4d.
Do.	G. F.	,,	,,	179	= 4d.
Do.	F. F.	,,	,,	170	= 4d.
Do.	Fair	,,	,,	160	= 4 7/16d.
Ginned Dharwar	F. G. F. May Delivery		,,	200	= 5d.
Dhollera	G. F.	,,	,,	190	= 5d.
Do.	F. G. F.	,,	,,	195	= 5¼d.
Do.	Good	,,	,,	200	= 5¼d.

The following is the visible supply of Cotton for all Europe on the 12th instant, as compared with the same date on the two previous years:—

	1878.	1877.	1876.
Total supply of all kinds.	2,640,000	2,917,000	2,983,550
,, Surats...	333,000	392,230	475,080

For the U. K. only the comparisons are:—

Stock in Liverpool.....	740,000	1,123,980	926,870
Do. London.....	10,000	36,750	55,900
American Afloat.....	270,000	173,000	291,000
E. Indian ,, ...	87,000	137,000	137,000
	1,107,000	1,470,730	1,410,270
Price of Mid. Orleans...	6½d.	6 5-16d.	6 5-8d.
,, Fair Dhollera ...	4 7-8d.	5d.	4 9-16d.
Difference.....	1¾d.	1 5-16d.	2 1-16d.

The American crop figures to date are as follows:—

	1878.	1877.	1876.
Weeks' Receipts	52,000	22,000	43,000
,, Exports to U. K.....	36,000	27,000	46,000
,, ,, to Continent...	28,000	34,000	15,000
Total Rcts. since 1st Sept	3,972,000	3,759,000	3,857,000
,, Exports to U. K.,,	1,636,000	1,685,000	1,630,300
,, ,, to Continent ,,	1,148,000	844,000	1,061,900
,, Stock at the Ports...	530,000	635,000	584,000

SEEDS.—*Linseed* has been in less active request of late owing to easier advices from Home, and notwithstanding the small supplies yet coming forward prices have receded As. 1 to As. 2 per cwt., to-day's quotation being Rs. 6-13 to Rs. 6-14 per cwt. For *Rapeseed* there is a small but steady enquiry at the previous price of Rs. 7-13 per cwt.

WHEAT remains nominally unaltered, but the fact is that there are no arrivals yet worth speaking of suitable for export. Quotations are:—Best White, Rs. 39 to Re. 40; Mixed, Re. 36 to Re. 38; Red, Rs. 35 to Re. 37 per candy.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST

BANKS.

Banks.	No. of Shares.	Nomal Value p. sh.	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash. Rates per Share.
		Rs.	Rs.	p. s.	
Agra Bank	100,000	100	all	6 p. ct	126
Bank of Bengal	40,000	500	all	6 do.	705
Bank of Bombay	30,000	500	all	5 p. ct	600
National Bank of India.	10,000	500	all	6 do.	110
Bank of Madras	60,000	250	all	10 do.	680

LAND COMPANIES.

Colaba Land Co. (New).	2,948	2,000	all	20 p.*	780.
Frere Land and Pier Co. Limited	7,500	150	all	4 p. s.	109
Mazagon Land	1,750	2,000	1,000	20 p. s.	800
Port Canning Land Company, Limited.....	6,000	1,400	all	18 p.s.	225

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock.....	..	£20	21 8· 3·0	5 p. c.	276
Do. New £20 Shares....	..	£20	13 0·14 6	do.	26
Ditto	..	£20	05· 7 9	do.	72
Ditto	..	£20	21·13 1	do.	32
B. B. and C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000	do.	1,100
Do. New Shares. ...	..	£18	19 6·9 18	do.	245

MISCELLANEOUS

Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation	1,000	2,500	1,500	18 p.s.	1,770
Bombay Gas Company..	50,000	50	all	7½ p. ct	58
Bombay Saw Mills Co..	600	1,000	all	80 p. s.	600
Landing and Shipping Co of Kurrachee..	500	500	300	36 p. s.	280
Malabar Company, Ld.	1,150	200	100	7½ p. ct	30
Mechanical Buildings Co.	1,000	500	all	p. s.	19
Treacher and Co..	1,930	500	all	11 p. ct	595
Vicgas Patent Slip Co...	3,00.	250	all	6 p. ct	30

BANK OF BENGAL.

THE following is the statement of the affairs of the Bank of Bengal for the week ending 9th April compared with that for 2nd April:—

Liabilities.	2nd April. Rs. A. P.	9th March. Rs. A. P.
Capital	2,00,00,000 0 0	2,00,00,000 0 0
Reserve Fund	18,79,477 0 0	18,79,477 0 0
Treasury Balances	2,20,18,291 12 8	2,28,71,741 6 8
Other Deposits	2,34,48,201 9 6	2,28,07,670 7 7
Bank Post Bills, &c.....	17,34,514 7 0	3,36,146 11 6
Sundries	9,22,833 4 10	9,67,664 13 3
Rs.	7,00,03,418 1 10	7,15,62,700 6 7
Assets.	**Rs. A. P.**	**Rs. A. P.**
Government Securities.....	1,07,62,227 11 11	1,06,94,457 7 11
Loans on Govt. Securities.	41,48,690 12 8	41,51,892 0 8
Credits on ditto	47,22,226 6 6	55,29,074 11 2
Bills Discounted.....	2,50,49,418 15 11	2,50,92,553 2 4
Balances with other Banks	5,29,365 1 6	3,66,690 0 9
Dead Stock	9,99,291 4 10	9,98,616 7 11
Stamps	11,028 12 11	10,647 11 11
Sundries	1,84,811 14 3	1,82,528 15 1
Cash at Head Office	89,99,503 6 11	90,87,953 12 2
Do. at Branches	1,45,96,823 10 5	1,55,40,250 0 8
	7,00,03,418 1 10	7,15,62,700 6 7

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE, AND LISTS OF PASSENGERS BY SEA.

THE *s. s.* STRONGHAH, 1,022 tons, Captain J. Letbe sailed on Saturday last for Bassein, in ballast.

THE *s. s.* JENNY OTTO, 941 tons, Captain S. Hughson, sailed on Saturday last for Kurrachee, in ballast.

THE BARQUE JANE AVERY, 421 tons, Captain J. E. Dodds, will sail to-day for Bremerhaven, with a general cargo.

THE *s. s.* OORUN, 162 tons, Captain G. J. Baker, sailed on Saturday last for Coast and Cutch, with a general cargo and 141 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's. *s. s.* BUSHIRE, 538 tons, Captain T. Nailer, sailed on Saturday last for Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo and the following passengers:—For Calcutta.—Mr. A. W. Hamilton. For Beypore.—Miss Cortney and Mrs. Clifton. For Vingorla.—Mr. L. Reid. For Coast Ports.—18 deck passengers.

DEPARTURES.

April.	Vessels.	Commanders.	Destinations.
13	Cape Verde	McMillan	Calcutta.
	Strecoshah (s).....	Letbe	Sassein.
	Busheer (s)	Nailer	Coast and Calcutta.
	Jenny Otto(s).....	Hughson	Kurrachee.
	Oorun (s).....	Baker	Coast and Cutch.

The barque Jane Avery, Dodds, to Bremerhaven, obtained her port clearence on Saturday last.

The following vessels were entered for loading on Saturday last.
Steamer Madura, to Coast and Calcutta.
Schooner Isabelle, to Mauritius.

CALCUTTA.

Apr.	ARRIVALS.		
10	Satara (s).....	Wood.....	Camorta, Mar 28.
	City of Oxford (s) ..	Balfour	Liverpool, Mar 2.

DEPARTURE.

April 10—Steamer Meiaam. Barque Star of Africa.

PASSENGERS.

Per Satara—Mr. James West, Lt H F Hill, Capt W B Birch Mr G C Sawyer, Surgeon Major Morgan, Mr and Mrs Causeley, 3 children, 3 children, Causeley, 2 infants. Mr E A Ward, Mrs E J K Martin and child, Mr D Farrow.
30th March—H M's Rifleman left Fort Blair for Trincomallee having been relieved as guard Ship at the Andamans by the I C S S Enterprise.

MADRAS.

Apr.	ARRIVALS.		
10	Gatinean	.....	Negapatam.
	Asia (s)	.....	Rangoon.
11	India(s).....	.....	Bombay.
	Lacydon	.....	False Point.
	Argnan	.....	Australia.
	Baghdad (s).....	.....	Bombay and S P.

Apr.	DEPARTURES.		
9	Pemba (s)	.....	Calcutta.
10	Florence	.....	Calcutta.
11	Flamingo	.....	Calcutta.
	Counsellor (s).....	.....	Calcutta.
	India (s)	.....	Rangoon.

DAILY IMPORTS.—APRIL 13.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Trontham Hall *s.*—8 casks brass and 4 casks copper wire, Noorbhoy Chandabhoy.
Sicily *s.*—35 kegs iron nails, Alladin Bharmull.
Palim *s.*—7 packages earthenware, Soomar Bhima.
Zeal *s.*—50 cases brandy, Benn, Ashley and Co.
India *s.*—9 hogsheads and 26 cases portwine, Shapoorjee Rustomjee Sookhia; 17 cases gingerwine, D D Shah.
Glamorgan *s.*—1,289 bars iron, Heptoola Shaik Adom and Co; 100 kegs iron nails, Cyljee Adomjee; 4 packages hardware, Noorbhoy Chandabhoy; 1,546 tile copper, Ritchie, Stewart and Co; 5 packages glassware, Pestonjee Cursetjee Cama; 20 cases varnish, Joseph Soares; 4 packages glassware and 28 packages earthenware, Nanjee Canjee.

FROM LONDON.

Thibet *s.*—10 cases cod liver oil, Hajee Moosa Sulleiman.
Assam *s.*—22 cases port, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Stadtkirn *s.*—30 coils chain, Hajee Hassan Dada; 8 casks glass vials, Abdoola Hassum Abdoolally; 2 casks hardware and 50 kegs iron nails, Fazullaly Moosabhoy; 17 cases whiskey, D D Shah; 30 cases oilmanstore, 3 cases cheese and 6 cases bacon; Shapoorjee Rustomjee Sookhia; 52 kegs iron nails, Ameroodin Fazulaly; 257 cakes copper, Ritchie, Stewart and Co; 10 tierces beef and 20 barrels pork, Finlay, Muir and Co.

FROM GENOA.

Australis *s.*—100 boxes brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Faune—25 boxes brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons.
Precurseur *s.*—50 cases brandy, Nowrojee Ardaseer and Sons.

DAILY EXPORTS.—APRIL 13.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Savernake—100 bales cotton, Greaves, Cotton and Co; 18 bales cotton, J C Bushby and Co.
Agnes Oswald—5 bales cotton, W and A Graham and Co.
Mcineth—60 bales cotton, Amedjee Wamonrow; 100 bales cotton, Goculdass Cullianjee.
T McLellan—326 cwts myrabolams, Veerjee Purbut; 100 bales cotton, Vurdhman Poonsee; 1,100 bales cotton, Nursee Kessowjee and Co.
Nellie Martin *s.*—129 cwts ginger, 54 cwts turmeric and 158 cwts black peppers, Mooljee Jaitha and Co; 781¼ cwts myrabolams, Jetha Purnotum; 105 cwts myrabolams, Finlay, Scott and Co; 2.0 bales hemp, Jetha Pursotum; 36 bales wool, Heeranand Nundram; 20 bales wool, and 25 bales rags, Bhimjee Nuthoo; 42 bales cotton waste, Govindram Liwardadas; 250 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co; 100 bales cotton, Nusserwanjee Manockjee and Co; 35 bales cotton, Gladstone, Wyllie and Co; 100 bales cotton, Halli Brothers; 49 bales wool, Lachmeedas Khimjee; 77 bales wool, B I S N Co; 65 bales wool, Nursee Damjee.
India *s.*, 595 cwts wheat, Cursondass Madhowdass; 100 cwts wheat, Feily and Co; 25 bales wool, Nemsee Luckmedass; 350 bales cotton, A Blaschcek and Co; 300 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers; 300 bales cotton, Nusserwanjee Manockjee and Co; 50 bales wool, Goculdass Tooseedass; 444 cwts coir fibre and 18 cwts coir yarn, Nanjee Govindjee; 250 cwts coir yarn, Treecomjee Lowjee; 24 bales wool, Bhimjee Lackmedass and Co; 260 cwts wheat, Mooljee Jewraj and Co,

FOR LONDON.

Cervin *s.*—42 cwts dry ginger and 84 cwts sandalwood chips, Ruttonjee Manockjee and Co; 1½ cwts tortoise shells, Nuthoobhoy Gulambacoosein; 4 bundles silk, Peerbhoy Huckimjee.
Bokhara *s.*—20 cwts deer horns, Junabhoy Jairaz; 10 bundles skins, Allarakhiabboy Sazon; 20 bales skins, Mahamed Jamall; 666¾ cwts rapeseed, Finlay, Scott and Co; 32 cwts chunklum, and 94 cwts gum, Dhurrumsey Welljee.
Sumatra *s.*—27 boxes silver coins [Rs. 54,625], Guuputrao Madawrao.

FOR AMSTERDAM.

Exporter—500 bales cotton, Gadiam and Co.

FOR NAPLES.

India *s.*—10 bales cotton, Nusserwanjee Manockjee and Co.

FOR SUEZ.

Sumatra *s.*—2 bundles silk, Syed Mirza.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Sumatra *s.*—6 cases shawls and 1 bale woollen carpets, W Nicol and Co.
Kate *s.*—1,305 cwts groundnuts and 2,800½ cwts teaseed, Ewart, Latham and Co.

FOR GENOA.

India *s.*—100 bales cotton, Peel, Cassels and Co.

FOR VENICE.

Sumatra *s.*—300 cwts castor seed, Kscop and Co.
Polluce *s.*—100 bales cotton, Greaves Cotton and Co; 200 bales cotton, E Spinner and Co.

FOR HAVRE.

Neuva Providencia—30 cwts horns, Jules, Siegfried and Co; 400 bales cotton, Jules Siegfried and Co.
W H Connor—240 cwts B horns, George Lockhart and Co; 350 bales cotton, Nusserwanjee Manockjee and Co; 52 bales cotton, Vuludbass Dewjee.

FOR TRIESTE.

Sumatra *s.*—150 bales cotton, Peel Cassels and Co.
Polluce *s.*—18 bales skins, J Jamil; 19 bales silk, Knoop and Co; 186 cwts oilbanum, McMondolfo and Co; 25 bales cotton waste, Meidtre Nevum and Co; 50 bales cotton, Greaves, Cotton and Co; 10 bales cotton, G Reifferscheid and Co.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Algitha *s.*—118 bales cotton, S L Macnaghten; 153 bales cotton, Ramjeedass Luckmedass.

FOR HONGKONG.

Lombardy *s.*—12½ cwts sharkfins and 2½ cwts fishmaws, Currimboy Nenjee; 1 cwt Cardamoms and 50 bales twist, Muncherjee Merwanjee and Co; 25 bales twist and 2 cases rose water, David Sassoon and Co; 50 bales twist, The P of W S and W Co; 23 bales twist, The Ist and W and Co; 3 cases camboy stone, Ebram Noordin and Co; 80 chests opium, Hajee Adam Esmail and Co; 24 chests opium, Hajee Essac Ellias; 29 chests opium, Ebram Noordin and Co; 175 chests opium, E D Sassoon; 27 chests opium, Jairaubhoy Peerbhoy; 37 chests opium, N I Abraham; 150 chests opium, David, Sassoon and Co.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Lombardy *s.*—16½ chests opium Jewraz Chitaram; 34 chests opium, Tarachund Luckminaron; 33 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co; 12 chests opium, Tarachund Gunehamdass; 200 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co; 39 chests opium, M S Gubbay.

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

BOMBAY, 12th April 1878.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 6 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah ..	29·751
Temperature of the Air.....	83·2
Wet Bulb Thermometer.....	75·6
Dew Point	72·7
Relative humidity of Air	0·712
Extent of cloudyeky (the whole skyclouded=8).	3 0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m) ..	87·0
Minimum do. do. (read at 9-30 a.m.)..	72·3
General Direction of wind .....SSW, SW, SSW, WSW, WNW W, SW..	
Movement of wind in 24 hours.....	181

HIGH COURT.—APRIL 15.

(Before the Honourable MR. JUSTICE BAYLEY.)

Motion for Judgment.

723-77—Fletcher and S—Hajee Khadeza and another vs Hajee Abdool Russool, &c—Tyabjee and S.

LONG CAUSES.

733-77—In person—(a pauper) Wasantrao Balmukund and others vs Wasudeo Abajee and another—Balkrishna and B—Part heard.

(Before the Honourable MR. JUSTICE PINHEY.)

NEW LONG CAUSES.

52-78—Tyabjee and S—Ebramjee Ramjee vs Mahunsagar Vinayasagar—Macfarlane and G.
55-77—Jefferson and P—Hassumbhoy Villram vs Dhurrumsey Poonjabhoy—Khunderao M.
56-78—Tyabjee and S—Khudizi Begum and another vs Salleh bin Oomer and anothers—Prescott and W.

OLD LONG CAUSES.

721-77—Craigie, Lynch and Co—Mooljee Purshotum vs Cassidass Pranjeevundass; and another Macfarlane and G.—Part heard.
621-77—M. H. Khan—Chabaldass Valabdass and another vs Lalbhai Walabbhoy—Fletcher and S.
660-77—Tyabjee and S—Bai Luckmibai vs Sha Moolchund Khooshall and others.—Present and W and Ardaseer and H.
575-77—In person (a pauper)—Sindee Kurruma Goolam vs Memon Abdoola A.—Mr Turner.
753-77—Sharpjee and Tulsidass Waljee vs Dewkava hor alias Megbai—Shamrao P.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—APRIL 11.

Ward, Major, R A, on leave, from Kirkee.

APRIL 12.

Stafford, Lieut Col, 22nd Regt, on leave, from Peshawur.
Mackenzie, Lieut, 2nd Sind Horse, on leave, from Jacobabad; Osborne, Capt, R E, on leave, from Jacobabad.
Keays, Major, Staff Corps, on duty, from Deolalee.
Adam, Surg, on leave, from Shikarpore.
Hogg, Lieut Col, Dy Mr Gl, on duty, from—

DEPARTURE.—APRIL 11.

Adams, Surg, on leave, to Deccan.

BOMBAY ARMY ORDERS.

BY HIS EXCELLENCY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF.
Adjutant General's Office, Head Quarters,
Poona, 13th April 1878.

The C-in-C is pleased to make the following appointments:—
7th N I—Col A R Wilson, Wing Commander, to be second in Command, vice Col Davies appointed to the 1st Grenadiers
N I. Major E Cunninghan, Staff Corps, to be Wing Commander and to continue to officiate as Second in Command during the absence of Lt Col Wilson.
Under instructions from the Horse Guards, War Office, Capt W G Mulloy, R A, is appointed Adjutant Royal Artillery Bombay District, with effect from the 14th February 1878.
The undermentioned officer return to duty on the 3rd April:—
Major W F F Watt, V C, Staff Corps, 2nd in Command Sawant Wari Local Corps.
The following orders are confirmed:—Northern Division order, dated 6th April, notifying that Major de Rin Wood brider, 22nd N I performed the duties of Station Staff Officer at Ahmedabad in addition to his own, from the 4th March to the 1st April inclusive of the troops at the Annual Agricultural General of the Division on duty.
Dated 12th March 1878, appointing Lieut A Foster, 15th Regt, to command the troops at the Vecthul Sanitarium.
Surat Station order, dated 3rd April, appointing Lieut E Reilly, 17th N I Station Staff officer.
17th N I—Regtl order, dated 3rd April, directing Lt E G Reilly Wing officer, to officiate as Adjutant.
The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—
3rd Hussars—Paymaster (Major) F W Lander to England, per troop ship, to appear before a Medical Board.
1st Foot—Captain G Paterson, to England, per Trooship, to appear before a Medical Board.
70th Foot.—Lt Roupell, to England, per Trooship, to appear before a Medical Board.
11th N I—Lt E Werge to Bombay, for thirty days, to appear before a Medical Board.
Staff Corps—Colonel T G Coles to remain at Matheran, from 8th April to 7th May, on extension on Medical Certificate.
Royal Artillery—Veterinary Surgeon W Oliver, from 11th April to 10th June, to Mahableshwar or Gotacamund, on Medical Certificate.
Lt C E Bedford and Lt A D Macdonald, to England, to appear before a Medical Board.
Lt C F Magrath to England, to appear before a Medical Board.
Lt Col F W Stubbs, to appear before a Medical Board.
Major H C Lewes, from 1st May to 1st Septr. to Kurrachee, on private affairs.
2nd Foot—Lt E A Hughes to England, for 15 months, on private affairs.
7th Foot—Captain W W Chard, to England, to appear before a Medical Board.
11th Foot—Major J W Green to remain in England till required to embark in first troop ship of next season, on private affairs.
65th Foot—2nd Lieut C H Bathurst, to the Hills North of Dehra, for thirty days, on medical certificate.
28th N I—Lt W H Bewpon, to Bombay, for thirty days, to appear before a Medical Board.
Bengal Indian Medl Dept—Surgeon W A Simmonds to remain at Bombay from 13th April to 12th May, on Medical Certificate, in extension.

BENGAL GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(*Calcutta Gazette*, April 10.)

Mr Cosserat, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Pakour is promoted to the Second Grade.
Mr Johnstone, Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector, Patna, is promoted to the Third Grade.
Mr Craven is confirmed in the Fifth Grade of Deputy Magistrate and Deputy Collector.
Mr H A Cockerell, Officiating Secretary to the Government of Bengal in the Judicial and Political Departments, is confirmed in that appointment.
Mr F B Peacock, Officiating Commissioner of the Dacca division, is confirmed in that appointment.
Mr N S Alexander, Magistrate and Collector of Tipperah on furlough to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.
Mr J Anderson, Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade, on furlough, to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Second Grade.
Mr H J Newbery to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade.
Mr A Manson to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade.
Mr J M Waller is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.
Mr J F K Hewitt, Magistrate and Collector, Chumparun, on furlough, is appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the First Grade.
Mr J A Hopkinsis appointed to be a Magistrate and Collector of the Second Grade.
Mr T Norman is appointed to be Magistrate and Collector of the Third Grade.
Mr W E Meade is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the First Grade.
Mr J Whitmore, Assistant Magistrate and Collector, on furlough, is appointed to be a Joint-Magistrate and Deputy Collector of the Second Grade.
Lieut H G Rumhardt, RE., is posted to the Tirhoot State Railway.

ORDERS BY THE COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF IN INDIA.

Head Quarters, Simla, April 6.

The C-in-C in India is pleased to make the following promotions:—
19th Regiment—Sub-Lieut Sundamore to be Lieut.
65th Regiment—Sub-Lieut Even to be Lieut.
Local rank is assigned to the undermentioned officer:—
1st Battalion 6th Regiment—Captain J B Hopkinsto be Major.
Captain C H Forster is, at his own request, transferred from the 30th to the 12th N I, for duty.
Lieut R E N Thomas, a probationer for the Bengal Staff Corps, is remanded to his own regiment, the 29th Foot.
Veterinary Surgeon W Gladstone, R A, is directed to proceed from Allahabad to Deesa, for duty.
The undermentioned officers have leave of absence:—
25th Foot—Captain F H T Curtis, to Bombay, for one month, to appear before a medical board.
4-60th Rifle—Paymaster A H Anderson, to Naini Tal, from 31st March to 31st October, on medical certificate.

CALENDAR FOR APRIL, 1878.

PHASES OF THE MOON.

Full Moon ..... 17th, 10h. 46·6m. A.M.

Date.	Remarks.	Sun rises. A.M.	Sun sets. P.M.	High Water.	Low Water.
April.		H. M.	H. M.	H. M.	H. M.

SPECIAL TELEGRAMS FOR THE BOMBAY GAZETTE.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ENFORCEMENT OF THE VERNACULAR PRESS ACT.

CALCUTTA, APRIL 13.

THE Bengal Government has already put the Vernacular Press Bill in force. The first victim is the *Sahachar*. The Commissioner of Police called on the publisher to give security for Rs. 500. No reason was given or objection-able matter cited. The publisher in reply said, that the *Sahachar* was a first class paper, read entirely by educated men, and he said that it had never been disloyal to the great virtuous lady, the mistress of their father-land, for whom their love and respect amounts to adoration. Since the passing of the Act, every line written had been compared with its provisions. As it is not pointed out wherein the paper has offended, the publisher declines to enter into a bail bond. The *Sahachar* will therefore cease to exist.

Splendid rain here last night.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

NOTE FROM THE PORTE TO THE POWERS.

LONDON, APRIL 13.

The Porte has sent a Note to the Powers accepting the Treaty concluded with Russia at San Stefano as the result of the reverses sustained by Turkish arms in the war, and which it states shall be loyally executed. It hopes, however, that modifications may be obtained through the good offices of benevolent Powers, and that Russia will exercise moderation.

GERMAN MEDIATION.

Germany is actively urging England and Russia to make mutual concessions.

RESULT OF THE UNIVERSITY BOAT RACE.

LONDON, APRIL 13TH, 11-20 A.M.

Oxford has won the University Boat Race by several lengths.

AUSTRIA AND THE PORTE.

LONDON, APRIL 14.

The Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at Constantinople is negotiating with the Porte for the eventual occupation of Bosnia and Herzegovina by Austria.

THE BESSARABIAN QUESTION.

Germany and Austria have rebuffed the appeal made by Roumania respecting the retrocession of Bessarabia to Russia.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

LISBON, APRIL 14.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Patna, homeward bound from the Persian Gulf and Kurrachee, left here to-day.

LIVERPOOL WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

LONDON, APRIL 12, NOON.

Total Week's Sales of Cotton	66,000	Bales.
Amount forwarded.....	11,000	do.
Total Week's sales of Surats	4,000	do.
Amount forwarded.....	2,000	do.
Total Week's Imports of Cotton..	60,000	do.
Do. do. Surats.....	10,000	do.
Do. Stock of Cotton.....	740,000	do.
Do. do. Surats.....	43,000	do.
Do. Stock of Cotton in London..	10,000	do.

LONDON, APRIL 12, AFT.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed quiet and prices were in favour of buyers. Surats flat.

The London Cotton Market has been steady.

Fair Dholleras.....	4½
The Manchester Market has been dull.	
32 Shirtings.....	5-7½
8¼ lbs. do.	6-9
40s. Mule Twist.....	0-9½
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight ..	1-8⅝
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	81
4½ per cent. do.	81½
5½ per cent. do.	90½
3 per cent. Consols for Account	94½
5 per cent. French Rents, 1872 ..	109
Bar Silver.	53½
Arrival—Sumatra.	

STEAMER REPORT.

MADRAS, APRIL 13. 12-35 P. M.

Mails for Manilla leave Singapore at 3 p.m. on the 15.

THE special train for H. E. the Governor, the Railway officers, and guests who have been invited to be present at the opening of the Dhond and Manmar State Railway will leave Bombay to-morrow (Tuesday) night at 9 o'clock, arriving at Manmar on Wednesday morning at 5-30. Wednesday will be the opening day, and it is expected that the special will reach Poona by 8 50 p.m. on that day and Bombay on Thursday morning. There will be breakfast at Ahmednuggur and dinner at Poona.

MR. A. MACLEAN has been appointed to officiate as a Judge of the High Court, Calcutta.

A REPORT comes from Nepal that the heir apparent of the Maharaja died on the 30th ultimo.

SHORT leave is to be allowed to all officers who can rejoin their regiments at 24 hours' notice.

It is stated that Sir John Strachey is suffering from low fever intervening upon influenza, and is in a weak state.

WE hear that the Government of Bengal has refused to sanction the grant of two years' leave on medical certificate to Mr. Robert Hand, a Professor in the Presidency College, on the ground that he will attain the age of fifty-five years within that period. It has, however, expressed its willingness to sanction the leave up to the date of his reaching the age of fifty-five.

THE decision recently arrived at by the Government of India in disposing of the case of an officer proceeding on furlough, may be found interesting to public servants going home; and from which it has been generally ruled that the issue of a last pay certificate to an officer leaving India must not be deferred pending the audit of all his accounts, and that if any claims against him are discovered after the grant of a last pay certificate to that officer, a separate report of them, with all particulars, should be submitted to Government.

THE Lahore paper says that "the old Report that the Ameer of Cabul holds all families of Afghans in the British service as hostages for the conduct of these men, is revived. It is said that special messengers have been sent there from Cabul to warn all such as may be in our employ to leave it and return to Afghanistan should any complication arise. That such a step should be taken is extremely likely, for we know it was taken before; but the effect, so far as Cabul is concerned, could only be to bring into that country a new and formidable element of disaffection."

THE *Indian Daily News*:—We suppose that before very long the Thakore Rajah of Pooree's case will come on before the High Court in Calcutta, and that then we shall hear such particulars as can be made public about the filthy business. Meanwhile it is not easy to understand why if the Sessions Judge of Cuttack felt certain that the Rajah intended to cause death by slow torture, the Rajah should get off with less punishment than would be doled out to less exalted persons under like circumstances. Perhaps the verdict of the assessors had something to do with it. It is a trifle too absurd to create assessors, to profess to believe in their utility, and to ignore them whenever occasion offers. But this is what Sessions Judges generally have to do.

SAMPSON, LOW AND CO. have just brought out a new edition of Mr. Philip Robinson's *Nuga Indica*. It is now called "In my Indian Garden," and has all the advantages of neat type and a pretty binding. Mr. Edwin Arnold supplies a preface in which, amongst other things, he says:—"India may be hot, dusty, distant, and whatever else the weary exile alleges when his liver goes wrong, but she is never for one moment, or in any spot, as regards her people, her scenery, her cities, towns, villages, or country-places, vulgar. There is nothing in her not worth study and regard; for the stamp of a vast past is over all the land, and the very pariah dogs are classic to those who know the Indian public and how to be amused by them. Our author is one of the happy few in whom familiarity with Indian sights and objects has not bred indifference, but rather suggested the beginnings of a new field of Anglo-Indian literature."

THE Administration Reports of the Telegraph Department in India for 1875-76 and 1876-77 have just been published together with the Resolution of Government thereon. The substance of the Resolution is as follows:—The delay in bringing forward these Reports has been occasioned by an endeavour to carry out certain wishes of the Secretary of State for India, but the changes have not been found as yet practicable meanwhile the reports have been issued. During last year, for the first time, the income and expenses have practically balanced each other. The loss in working, which during the previous year amounted to Rs. 4,39,783, was, in 1876-77 reduced to Rs. 401. In the Ceylon lines a deficit occurred of Rs. 20,396, but this, however, is nearly one-third less than that of the year previous. In fact, if the Ceylon system be excluded there is an actual profit of Rs. 19,995. This state of things is mainly due to increase in message revenue, which exceeded three lakhs of rupees in India and Rs. 11,000 in Ceylon. The number of miles of line during the period under review were increased by 695 and of wire by 3,506. Although there has been an increase in traffic of 5·02 per cent. there has been a decrease in errors of 8·33 cer cent. in messages of all kinds, while as regards those in ordinary language the number of complaints has fallen from 30 to 18. The speed of transmission of messages shows an improvement of 4 minutes over the previous year, having averaged 1 hour and 5 minutes on the main long routes connecting Calcutta, Bombay, Madras, and Kurrachee, against 12 hours 43 minutes, in 1867-68, notwithstanding that the year under review was remarkable for the extent and influence of floods and cyclones. The reports have been carefully prepared, and show the progress and efficiency of the Department during the period reviewed; and a useful table is given to illustrate the working of the Department from different points of view.

THE *Madras Mail*:—When Mr. Justice West, at the late meeting, asked his co-religionists if they are prepared to abandon the control of European and East Indian education, he put a question which is not likely to conciliate the outside public. What the Protestants of Bombay, if they resemble their compatriots in Madras, really desire in the matter of education is a good secular training for their children, combined with instruction in the truths of Scripture and of morality. If the Diocesan Board are prepared to offer a superior education to that which can be had elsewhere, they may reckon on success; but more lamentation over the past, and appeals to religious partizanship, are, we fear, generally regarded as "impertinent anachronisms." We are sorry that the promoters of this new movement show little disposition to inquire into the reasons of past failure, and so lay the foundations of future success. Perhaps it is now too late for them to seek for the co-operation of other denominations in the work of founding a Protestant College for Bombay like the Doveton Protestant College of Madras; but we are sorry that the effort has not been made.

THE *Englishman*:—Another of the few remaining lines which connect this generation with the one that has passed away is about to be severed. After a service of nearly half a century, more than one-third of which he has spent as a Judge of the highest Court in the land, Mr. Justice Kemp will in a few days retire from the Bengal Civil Service, at the head of the list of which his name has appeared for some years; and we hear that he intends to leave India early next month. Considering the very lengthened period during which he has served with distinction, and the way in which he has laboured for the welfare of the people of India, we cannot permit him to quit these shores without a few words of valediction. Mr. Kemp was educated at Eton, and, at the same time spent at Haileybury, he landed in India during the stern administration of Lord William Bentinck, about the commencement of the cold season of 1831, the year which saw the first Hindoo, the celebrated Bengali reformer, Raja Ram Mohun Roy, travel by sea to England, and the year before the present Uncovenanted Judicial Service, which Mr. Kemp, with his brother Justices, has done so much to improve, came into existence. By his retirement the Judges will lose a useful and valued coadjutor, the bar a patient and attentive listener, and the public an upright, able, sound, and conscientious Judge. There is, we believe, no precedent for a Civilian Judge holding a seat in the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council; so that is to be feared that the rare knowledge of the laws, usages, and customs of India possessed by Mr. Kemp is not likely to be utilized in England for the benefit of this country. But, whether Mr. Kemp enters into public life at home, or seeks that repose which he has earned so well, he carries with him our best wishes for his future welfare, and we heartily bid him farewell.

SATURDAY'S CONCERT.

WE are glad to see that Madame Tasca's series of Concerts are proving so successful, and that Bombay is not backward in patronizing a company of accomplished artists, such as are now delighting audiences in the Town Hall. The programme on Saturday was studded with gems from the masters of operatic writing, the execution of which left no scope for criticism, and which we can only remark upon in terms of very high eulogy. No audience could have been moved to warmer demonstrations of delight than on this occasion, which were as well deserved as they were hearty. Madame Tasca contributed a pianoforte solo, which was brilliantly executed, and she also took part with Mr. Plumpton in a duet for piano and harmonium. The exquisite accompanying to the several songs, &c., by the professors just named was quite a feature of the Concert, and which must have been noticed with admiration. The fourth Concert is announced to take place to-morrow.

BOMBAY

THE following is the programme of music to be played by the band of H. M.'s 9th Regiment N. I., at the Esplanade Band Stand this evening:—

March	Heidelberger ..... Kappey
Overture.....	Koning Stephan ..... Beethoven
Selection.....	(No. 2) Nabucco..... Verdi
Valse	Loved and Lost..... Müller
Quadrille	Herold ..... Zikoff
Galop	Spring Flowers ..... Wald

THE Chief Presidency Magistrate wishes to acknowledge Rs. 15-8 for the poor-box from D. S. K.

MAJOR GENERAL WORGAN and Colonel Chitty left Poona on Friday last by the Mail train on account of some public business about which they received a telegram from Bombay the previous night.

A SUPPLEMENT to the Bombay *Government Gazette* was issued on Saturday, containing "preparatory lists" of persons liable to serve as special jurors and as common jurors. Any person who may think himself wrongly included in either list, should address the Clerk of the Crown, as the lists, when revised, will be final against all protest.

SHIP-MASTERS may like to know that the Marine Survey Department has just issued a new chart, showing the mouths of the Bassein and Irrawady rivers, the Mergui Archipelago, Gulf of Martaban, and Straits of Malacca as far south as Pulo Penang, together with the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, and the north coast of Sumatra.

A VAGRANT.—Thom as Carr, a European, was on Saturday declared a vagrant by Mr. W. Webb, and was ordered to be sent to the Government Workhouse.

PERSONATION AND CHEATING.—A Mahomedan, named Babay Ayoobaha, was on Friday last convicted by Mr. Nana Morojee of false personation and cheating in respect of nine bags of dhall, valued at Rs. 82-8, the property of Ruttonsey Luddah. He was fined Rs. 150, or in default to three months' rigorous imprisonment.

GAMBLERS.—Toolseedass Topun and three others were on Saturday charged before Mr. W. Webb, at the instance of Mr. Inspector Chislett, with being found gaming in a common gaming house at Colaba. They were all adjudged guilty, prisoner No. 1 being fined Rs. 30 and the rest Rs. 5 each.

A SOLDIER DESERTER.—Patrick Lindsley, a deserter from H. M.'s 3rd Buffs, stationed at Port Louis, in the Island of Mauritius, was on Saturday last arrested at the Sailors' Home by Mr. Constable Meehan, of the Water Police. The prisoner, on being placed before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, was ordered to be handed over to the military authorities at Colaba.

REFRACTORY SEAMEN.—James Leech, a seaman of the British ship Hutton, and George Wilkinson, of the British ship Rospegaders, were sentenced on Saturday last by Mr. W. Webb, the former to three weeks and the latter to six weeks' hard labour in the House of Correction, for wilful disobedience in refusing to do duty on board their respective ships.

CHEATING.—A Mr. James Brown was on Friday last charged before Mr. Nana Morojee with cheating, by inducing compliment, Jonas Tyab, tailor and outfitter, Meadow Street, Fort, to deliver to him wearing apparel to the value of Rs. 22. The case stands postponed for hearing to the 24th instant, the accused being held to bail in his own recognizances in a sum of Rs. 200.

CONVICTION UNDER THE NEW ABKARRE ACT.—On Saturday last, a Parsee, named Jamsetjee Jewajee Nozur, was charged before Mr. W. Webb, at the instance of the B. B. & C. I. R. Co., with contravening the provision of Section 7 Act 1 of 1878, by conveying into the city of Bombay two boxes of spirituous liquors. He was adjudged guilty and fined Rs. 20.

THEFT BY SEAMEN.—Two European seamen, named Frank Wheeler and James Fowler, were on Saturday convicted by Mr. W. Webb of stealing two coats, the property of a dealer in old clothes. They were each sentenced to three weeks' hard labour in the House of Correction. The first prisoner, Frank Wheeler, was further charged with assaulting the said dealer, and on being adjudged guilty he was fined Rs. 10, with the alternative of fourteen days' rigorous imprisonment.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A Coroner's inquest was held on Saturday, at the Apollo Bunder, on view of the body of Edward Jennings. Deceased was an able seaman of the British ship Cape Verde. It appears that about 6-30 a. m. the deceased and others of the crew, after having washed decks, were ordered up aloft to loose sails; deceased went up and reached the foretop, from whence he was to proceed to the foretopsail yard, when he became faint and fell into the arms of a seaman, who called for help to hold up the deceased Assistance having come, deceased was lowered down to the deck, when he was found to be dead. The jury returned the following verdict, "That the death of Edward Jennings was caused by heart disease."

OUR readers are aware that the camp-meeting at Lanowlee is to begin next Wednesday. We believe that tents are already pitched on the ground. We hear of parties who are coming from Kurrachee, Secunderabad, Central India, Madras, and even Calcutta, not to speak of other places less distant. Those who have taken the matter of arrangements in hand, have given their best attention to it, and it is believed that nothing of a material nature will have been omitted.—*Bombay Guardian.*

WE understand that a well-known and enterprising public caterer in Bombay offers to take the Parsee cricketers to America at his own expense. It is probable the offer will be accepted, in which case matches will soon be arranged between the Parsees and American Clubs.—*Indian Spectator.*

WILSON'S Circus will be in Bombay once again, and the performances will begin next Saturday, when a large number of gifts will be announced. Mr. Wilson will next give some performances in Poona and Hyderabad. He is so pleased with his reception in Bombay, that he is determined, we are informed, to build a playhouse here at his own expense, and to bring out a superb company from England.—*Id.*

WE hear from Hyderabad, Sind, that an accident occurred there a few days ago owing to a fragment of an old gun which was being destroyed the other day in the Fort falling on to the roof of a house and penetrating it and striking the wife of the owner on the head. She was lying ill in bed having given birth to a child a short time previous. The woman at once received medical attendance, and is now progressing favourably. The fragment weighed about 30 pounds. No blame is said to be attached to any one.—*Beacon.*

THE TRAFFIC ON THE G. I. P. RAILWAY.—The increase in goods traffic on the G. I. P. Railway for the week ending 6th April was 3,474 maunds, and the decrease in money Rs. 35,211. The quantities carried and the earnings compare with 1877 as follows:—

Description.	Week ending 6th April 1878.	Week ending 7th April 1877.	Increase.	Decrease.
COTTON—				
Weight	Mds 1,31,314	Mds 1,13,097	Mds 18,217	...
Amount	Rs. 1,48,010	Rs. 1,47,300	Rs. 710	...
GRAIN AND SEEDS—				
Weight	Mds 4,24,961	Mds 5,84,917	...	...
Amount	Rs. 2,46,767	Rs. 3,51,906	...	Mds 1,08,961
WHEAT—				Rs. 72,935
Weight	Mds 50,995	"	...	...
Amount	Rs. 32,774	"	...	Rs. 72,935
SALT—				
Weight	Mds 49,726	Mds 65,763	...	Mds 16,036
Amount	Rs. 24,417	Rs. 32,249	...	Rs. 7,832
OPIUM—				
Weight	Mds 576	Mds 1,402	...	Mds 826
Amount	Rs. 2,109	Rs. 5,634	...	Rs. 3,525
P. GOODS AND TWIST—				
Weight	Mds 16,678	Mds. 16,459	Mds ... 119	...
Amount	Rs. 24,313	Rs. 27,292	...	Rs. 2,979
GENERAL MERCHANDIZE—				
Weight	Mds 2,95,060	Mds 1,84,080	Mds 1,10,961	...
Amount	Rs. 1,60,542	Rs. 1,09,792	Rs. 50,750	...
TOTAL—				
Weight	Mds 9,69,200	Mds 9,65,726	Mds 3,474	...
Amount	Rs. 6,38,922	Rs. 6,74,133	...	Rs. 35,211

* Wheat was included last year with Grain and Seed.

THE TRAFFIC ON THE B. B. AND C. I. RAILWAY.—The decrease in goods traffic on the B. B. & C. I. Railway for the week ending 6th April 1878 was 1,77,433 maunds, and in money Rs. 83,182. The quantities carried and the earnings compared with 1877 are as follows:—

Description.	Week ending 6th Apr. 1878.	Week ending 6th Apr. 1877.	Increase.	Decrease.
COTTON—				
Weight	Mds 14,894	Mds 87,971	...	Mds 73,077
Amount	Rs. 10,685	Rs. 57,832	...	Rs. 47,147
GRAIN—				
Weight	Mds 37,656	Mds 42,603	...	Mds 4,947
Amount	Rs. 9,806	Rs. 10,030	...	Rs. 224
JAGREE—				
Weight	Mds 16,708	Mds 13,005	Mds 3,703	...
Amount	Rs. 9,768	Rs. 6,273	Rs. 3,495	...
OPIUM—				
Weight	Mds. ...	Mds 797	...	Mds 797
Amount	Rs. ...	Rs. 2,058	...	Rs. 2,058
P. GOODS AND TWIST—				
Weight	Mds 2,634	Mds 5,510	...	Mds 2,876
Amount	Rs. 2,592	Rs. 5,052	...	Rs. 2,460
SALT—				
Weight	Mds 15,885	Mds 41,826	...	Mds 25,961
Amount	Rs. 4,867	Rs. 11,356	...	Rs. 6,489
SEEDS—				
Weight	Mds 9,950	Mds 68,927	...	Mds 58,977
Amount	Rs. 4,800	Rs. 30,268	...	Rs. 2,568
SUGAR—				
Weight	Mds 3,339	Mds 4,886	...	Mds. 1,547
Amount	Rs. 2,049	Rs. 2,722	...	Rs. 673
GENERAL GOODS—				
Weight	Mds 1,11,038	Mds 1,24,490	...	Mds 13,454
Amount	Rs. 34,586	Rs. 36,745	...	Rs. 2,159
TOTAL—				
Weight	Mds 2,12,862	Mds 3,90,015	...	Mds 1,77,433
Amount	Rs. 79,215	Rs. 1,62,398	...	Rs. 83,182

COOLING RAILWAY CARRIAGES.

STATEMENT showing what arrangements were made during the hot season of 1877, on the several Railways, and the experience of travellers in connection therewith.

Nature and description of apparatus tried.	Number and Class of carriages cooled on each system.	Cost.	Result.
EAST INDIAN RAILWAY.			
Jones' disc coolers improved by "Pearce" with feed motion added.	2 Royal Saloons. 13 Through 1st Class. 9 First Class. 6 Family carriages fitted with by pass by 17 Post office vans. 3 Through 2nd Class.	Rs. 60 for each cooler or 2 coolers to each compartment of a first class, or 4 to each carriage.	Opinion is divided as to the benefits of the system.
A khus-khus dice revolves in a sine-frame, the lower part of which forms a trough filled with wated, frames being fastened on to the windows of a carriage, there being one on each side of each compartment. The disc is worked by a ratchet and pall with a rod connected with the axle-box-lid and this obtains its motion from the movements of the carriage body on its springs, the rapidity of the fanning greater on a rough than on a smooth road. The disc as it revolves obtains its moisture from the water in the trough. The cooler is provided with a zinc wind-catcher to conduct the air to the khus-khus disc, and this wind-catcher operates whichever way the carriage may be running.			
GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY.			
Tatties on Sander's principle.	In 1st Class (number not stated). 2nd Class none.	.....	Worked regularly and with a slight noise while train was moving and is fairly tested.
Jones' revolving disc ...	A trial carriage.	.....	
SINDH, PUNJAB AND DELHI RAILWAY.			
New Punkah's introduced by the Locomotive Superintendent, Mr. Sandford.	First Class; not yet introduced.	Cost of apparatus Rs. 50 per carriage or Rs. 25 per compartment. Working Rs. 5 per month for one carriage travelling 100 miles daily.	The punkahs are altogether more satisfactory and more healthy than the coolers already supplies, and are just half the expense.
OUDH AND ROHILKUND RAILWAY. †			
Cooke's patent punkahs.	31 Upper-class carriages; none fitted to the lower class.	Total cost of working in 1877 was pees 947-13. Cost per unit passenger mile 0-41 pice.	Approved of by travellers but in the opinion of some punkahs add little to comfort and are very much in the way.
A cooling apparatus invented by Mr. Cook is also in use on this Railway. This consists of a water-box under which is placed a circular tattie surrounded by a zinc casing forming a cowl, the whole of which swivels on a pivot over the lamp-hole. The air is caught by the cowl, which is self-acting, and forced to the wind and is conducted through the tattie and thence through the lamp-hole to the compartment...	Upper Class	.....	Not used during the hot season owing to the demand for wagons. They are said to be much appreciated by passengers.
SAPUTANA RAILWAY.			
Disc Coolers similar to those in use on the East Indian Railway worked from pulleys on the spindle of a carriage wheel which was caused to revolve by an endless screw used in two halves and clamped on to the axle.	Number not stated.	.....	By this means about 10 noiseless revolutions of the tatti were obtained in a mile run at ordinary speed.
PUNJAB NORTHERN RAILWAY.			
Drew's Cowls	In 1st Class compartments of composite carriages.	.....	.....
Punkahs	In 1st Class.	.....	Not so effective as the punkahs in the broad gauge, but they give some benefit.

* The construction and working of the punkahs in the 1st class carriages is still susceptible of improvement, which it is hoped will be carried out next hot season.

† To each train in which cow is are used is attached a covered goods wagon in which they are placed when removed from the carriages at night.

PASSENGERS BY THE HOMEWARD MAIL.

THE P. and O. Co.'s s.s. Sumatra, Captain C. Anderson, will sail to-day for Aden and Suez with the English Mails and the following passengers:—

FOR SOUTHAMPTON.

Mrs. Jones and infant
Dr. and Mrs Trimnell & child
Two Misses Howey
The Hon. G/G Morris
Mr. A R Porter
Mr G Eastwood
Mr J Oliver
Mr Wm Long
Mrs Macmillan and child

Lt C H Brooks, R.E
Mr P F Bhandara
Mr F G Gray
Mr J H Stanley
Mr Adams
Mr Lambert
Mr Thos Turner
General Douglas.

FOR BRINDISI.

Col and Mrs B H Stafford
Mr H T Blandford.
Major and Mrs Blomfield
Capt M Bigott
Mr A W Mackie
Mr Robert Cairns
Mr Killican
Major Mallock.

Mr J Barnet.
Mr J Hickman
Dr J D B Stillman
Mr H W Payne
Mr W Batt
Mr Hormusjee Cama.
Dossabhoy

FOR VENICE.

Mr C W Whish
Mr E W Molony
Sir E C Bayley
Miss Bayley
Mr R Southby
Mr J N Tata
A Gentleman.

Dr and Mrs Skardon
Miss Prowse
Mr Heise
Mr Y Smith
Lt-Col H K Nesbitt
Capt W B Birch
Capt T Studely

FOR SUEZ.

Mr A C Maclay

Mr Geo Larcom.

FOR ADEN.

Mr E Woodhouse

Mr B P Creagh.

THE SCOTTISH ORPHANAGE AT MAHIM.

THE new schoolhouse of the Scottish Orphanage at Mahim was opened on Saturday evening by H. E. the Governor of Bombay (Sir Richard Temple), on the occasion of the annual delivery of prizes to the successful pupils. His Excellency was accompanied by Miss Temple, and there was a large attendance of ladies and gentlemen, the latter including the Hon. Mr. Ashburner, the Hon. Mr. Justice West, Sir Frank Souter, Kt., C.S.I., Sir Jamsetjee Jeejeebhoy, Bart., Col. Fuller, Col. Hailes, Major Waller, the Rev. Mr. Macpherson, the Rev. Mr. Stothert, the Rev. Dr. Mackichan, Mr. Hamilton Maxwell, Mr. Bythell, Mr. Conder, Mr. Mowat, Mr. W. G. Hall, Mr. Peterson, Mr. Kirkham, Mr. Manson, Mr. Freeborn, Mr. Barnes, Mr. Jno. Macfarlane, Mr. Gostling, Mr. Lindsley, Mr. N. Spencer, Mr. Melvin, Mr. R. Miller, Mr. Macaulay, Mr. Morrison, Mr. Chalmers, Mr. S. Hunter, Mr. Nanabhoy Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Mr. Manockjee Cursetjee, Mr. Muncherjee Murzban, Mr. Cummoo Sulleiman, &c. &c.

The new schoolhouse is a pretty structure, and is airy, commodious, and eminently suited for the purposes it is intended to serve. The following description of the building has been supplied to us by one of the gentlemen who superintended its construction:—

"The new Scottish Orphanage, designed in the modern Gothic style of architecture, stands on the site of the old building. It has a length of 166 feet from east to west, bay, its extreme breadth being 79 feet and its height 32 feet from the level of the ground to the eaves of the roof. The principal features of the front façade are a central and two end gables. The portion between the gables are skilfully protected from the force of the monsoon by projecting roofs and verandahs. The side and rear faces of the building are also well designed to make the whole as effective as possible. The building consists of a ground and first floors. In the centre of the ground floor there is an entrance vestibule, with a highly finished Mosaic floor. On one side of this vestibule there is a dining hall, 57 feet long and 22 feet wide, the teachers' living and bath room's adjoining, and on the other side the girls' school room, 47 feet long and 22 feet wide, with the boys' dormitory at the extreme end. At each end of the building, at the rear, bath and dressing rooms have been provided with all necessary water fittings. Immediately behind the entrance vestibule has been placed a wide and convenient staircase, leading to the first floor. The first floor consists of the Superintendent's apartments in the centre, with the boys' dormitory on one side and the girls' on the other. The general exterior of the building is faced with coursed blue stone, the dressings being of Porebunder and Coorla stone. The floors of the lower storey are all paved with Porebunder stone, and those of the bath and dressing rooms are asphalted. The upper floors are of teakwood boarding with concrete soundings. The ornamental framing of the roof is exposed internally, and the roof is covered with Mangalore tiles. The interior of the building is tastefully decorated with stencilling, the walls being finished in distemper. The building has been constructed under the orders of Colonel J. A. Fuller, R.E., Khan Bahadur Muncherjee Cowasjee Murzban being the assistant engineer in charge of the work."

On the wall of the large school room is a white marble tablet, bearing the following inscription:—

The Bombay Scottish Orphanage
was erected from designs by
D. E. Gostling, F.R.I.B., and J. Morris,
and sanctioned by
the Government of Bombay
on the 15th July 1875.
The work was commenced on the 8th
December 1875.
His Excellency the Honourable Sir Philip Edmond
Wodehouse, K.C.S.I., K.C.B.,
Governor and President in Council,
and was completed on the 28th February 1878
His Excellency the Honourable Sir Richard
Temple, Bart., G.C.S.I.,
Governor and President in Council.
The work was carried out under the immediate orders of
Colonel J. A. Fuller, R.E.,
Khan Bahadur Muncherjee Cowasjee
Murzban, Assoc. Inst. C.E.,
being Assistant Engineer in charge.
The Trustees contributed Rs. 36,015
estimate as sanctioned Rs. 76,715
Actual cost .....
Major-General Sir Michael Kennedy, K.C.S.I., R.E.S.
Secretary to Government.
Public Works Department.

After H. E. the Governor had inspected the building he took his seat in the middle, and proceeded to thank your Excellency for your kindness in presiding to-day at the opening of their new orphanage building. They ask permission to lay before your Excellency a short statement of the history of the orphanage.

It originated 31 years ago with a Scottish Female Orphanage established primarily for the benefit of the daughters of Presbyterian soldiers and Indian Navy seamen. Nine years afterwards, in 1856, a similar institution was established for boys. Both were in 1859 brought under one committee of management, but the orphanages themselves continued distinct, the boys remaining in Mazagon and the girls at Breach Candy, till 1862 when both schools were removed to the present site at Mahim where they have remained up to the present time. In 1863 the owner of this property was Mr. Premchund Roychund. Mr. Premchund was at that time desirous of making a liberal donation to some charitable institution with such Mr. Michael Scott was connected. As Mr. Scott had for many years taken a special and active interest in the management of the affairs of the Scottish Orphanage, Mr. Premchund selected the orphnage as the object of his charity, and presented to it the Mahim property as a free gift. It may be mentioned that the value of the property at that time was Rs. 60,000, and that this sum had been actually offered for it to Mr. Premchund. From this munificent gift the orphanage has ever since reaped many advantages, for which it is under a large debt of gratitude to Mr. Premchund. To render the accomodation sufficient, additional temporary quarters were erected at a cost of several thousand rupees. This cost was borne by one of the oldest friends of the orphanage Mr. John Fleming, C. S. I., and a brother merchant, Mr. Hamilton Maxwell.

The building to be opened to-day on the site presented by Mr. Premchund has been erected at a cost of Rs. 80,000, half of which was raised nearly 15 years ago by private subscriptions, the other half being contributed by Government. The orphanage, it may be stated, in addition to its own prize funds, also possesses an endowment of Rs. 25,000 which has been doubled by the liberality of Government. The several funds include Rs. 2,500 liberally contributed at various times by Sir Cowasjee Jehanghier Readymoney, C.S.I., who has always evinced a generous interest in the orphanage and contributed Rs. 1,000 in 1861 to the general fund and Rs. 1,500 in 1862 towards the building fund, also legacies of Rs. 3,600, Rs. 1,800, and Rs. 1,200 left by Mr. M. H. Scott, Dr. Don, and Mrs. Harrison, respectively.

The building which the orphanage is now to occupy was designed for the committee by Messrs. Gostling and Morris civil engineers and architects. The substantial and well, arranged building which they have conjointly planned is one which this committee are satisfied will prove in every way suitable. It has been erected under the direction of Colonel Fuller, R.E., and the constant personal supervision of Khan Bahadur Muncherjee Cowasjee Murzban, to whom the committee are deeply indebted for the kindness with which they have always given the benefit of their wishes, and for the unwearying care with which the work has been carried out, and the high class of workmanship which has been secured for the building.

The Committee have from the first under Superintendent's judicious system the care pursued at the orphanage of teaching boys and girls to a large extent together, instead of being injurious, has been productive only of much good. It has tended to stimulate both boys and girls, to refine the boys and to give energy to the girls. The Committee has been able to present boys at the University Matriculation Examination with successful results. They feel that while they cannot expect to do this frequently from an orphanage, its being done occasionally has an excellent effect on the tone of the school, stimulating the efforts of all the classes down to the youngest. Their aim is to make the education at the orphanage as thorough as in any of the day schools of Bombay.

It has always been the chief desire of the Committee to make the orphanage a happy Christian home for the orphans under their care. They would take the liberty of quoting the following statement made by Mr. Chatfield, the Director of Public Instruction, in a report on the Scottish orphanage:—"I have never seen as School in India which had more of the home look about it, and came nearer to the English; I should rather say the Scotch notion of a well regulated school."

All friends of the orphanage will warmly respond to the testimony which the Committee are happy and most thankful to be able to bear that it has been a signal blessing to the orphanage to have been for the last 16 years under the care of Mr. and Mrs. Duthie. To them, aided by excellent matrons and assistants, is due to the healthy, moral, and truly Christian tone which has been characteristic of the orphanage. The Committee would desire on the present occasion to express their warm gratitude to to Mr. and Mrs. Duthie and their trust, that they may for many years be spared to exercise a happy and holy influence on the children of the orphanage.

There are at present in the orphanage 71 boys and girls exclusive of day-scholars. A number whose admission has been sanctioned by the Committee, but for whom there was not accommodation in the former quarters, will now be received. The Committee have long been looking forward to the completion of their new building as affording scope for greatly increased usefulness. The number of orphans requiring to be provided for has of late years largely increased, and must continue to increase with the growing European population. That the Committee may be able to meet these increasing claims to the extent of their now enlarged accomodation, it will be necessary that the annual subscriptions be correspondingly augmented. They trust that this day may inaugurate a new period in their work. They are certain that many of the general public feel an interest in the Scottish Orphanage, and have confidence in the principles on which it is conducted, who have not yet become annual subscribers to its funds. To them the Committee would to-day make their earnest appeal, to enable them to do their part in relieving want and distress, they would not for widely extended aid from those who desire to provide a home with Christian training for British children left fatherless and motherless in India.

Again thanking your Excellency for the honour of your presence on this occasion, we now ask that your Excellency declare this new orphanage open.

Sir Richard Temple said:—

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN,—I have gladly responded to the invitation which has just been read, to the effect that I should declare this institution open. I have done so for several reasons, partly because I desire, as an Englishman, to testify my respect and regard for the Scottish educational system in this city, of which educational system this institution forms an integral and component part; partly, also, because this is understood to be a thoroughly well-managed institution, which understanding on our part I am sure is fully confirmed by all that we see and hear to-day; partly, also, because, as you all see, ladies and gentlemen, this is a thoroughly useful, handsome, and suitable structure. Being such a structure, the design is most creditable to Messrs. Gostling and Morris, and as a Government officer, I am glad to find that our own Public Works Department, as represented by Col. Fuller, and by his excellent assistant, Mr Muncherjee Murzban, Khan Bahadur, who I am glad to see present here to-day,—this department, I say, has been able on this as on so many other occasions, to render valuable assistance to the private institutions and corporations of this city. It is, I am sure, a satisfaction to Government to feel that one of its great departments is able to afford such valuable assistance in the cause of everything that is good. But besides the external structure, ladies and gentlemen, we should look to the substantial merits, intellectual and moral, in the education which here given, and at such a moment as this we should remember the devotion, the loving labour of so many years devoted to this institution by Mr. and Mrs. Duthie, aided by their good assistant, Mrs. Goode, the matron, who is, I am sorry to say, soon to leave us. Mrs Smithers, whose former services to this institution, I see from the records, are recorded in an obituary notice couched in terms of affectionate remembrance. Well, now, ladies and gentlemen, I am so accustomed to attend at annual

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Medoc, superior Pts. 7 Rs. and		12	0
St. Estephe (fine flavour and bouquet)		14	0
Pauillac (full body)		14	12
St. Julien (soft and delicate.)		16	4
Margaux (exquisite Bouquet)		20	4
Chat Marquis de Terme, (choice growth)...		24	0
Sauternes (mellow and soft)		15	0
Haut Sauterne, (very rich and fine)		20	0

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	Per Doz. Qts.	Rs.	a.
Beaujolais		16	8
Fleurie		18	0
Beaune		19	8
Savigny Beaune		23	8
Pommard		26	4
Pommard, very old		30	8
Volnay, old Vintage		35	0
Chambertin		48	0
Clos de Vougeot, (the elite of Burgundies).		48	0

SPARKLING BURGUNDY.

	Rs.	a.
Red Sparkling Burgundy (for Invalids)	36	0
St. Hubert du Chateau	38	0
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	Per Doz. Qts.	Rs.	a.
Laubenheimer 1873, or Erbacher		16	8
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Rudesheimer, 1868		25	0
Liebfraumilch, 1868		30	0
Johannisberg, 1868		36	8
Steinberg Cabinet, 1865		50	0
Braunneberg Moselle		20	0
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From the Enological Society of Naples.

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Capri Rosso, red	15	8
Lacrima Cristi, red	18	12
Do. do. white	22	8
Pompei Bianco, white	24	0

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	Per Doz. Qts.	Rs.	a.
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Do. Old matured in wood	20	8
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Qts. per Doz.	Rs.	a.	Pts.	Rs.	a.
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Chateau de Pierry, do. do.	29	12	...	17	4
Ay Mousseux, Superior	32	8	...	18	8
Royal Sillery, 1st quality	39	8	...	22	0
Vin de Cabinet, extra Dry	44	0			
Vin de Reserve, do. Dry	49	0			

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Do. do. do. Pints	7	8
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Do. White (like finest Chablis) do.	16	0

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	Rs.	a.
Cognac 2½ years old, bottled in Bombay	20	8
Do. 3½ do. do. do.	21	12
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Do. do. Gold do.	26	8
Exshaw No. 1, at Rs. 27, and No. 2 at	26	0

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Hollands Gin, Henkes, bottled here	16	0
Do. do. in clear square Chrystal Flasks	18	12
Do. do. finest in Rock bottles	20	8
Dr. Siegert's Augostura Bitters	20	0
Do. Bouquet, a new Liqueur for mixing with Wines or Spirits	30	0

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Special Terms to Messes, Clubs, and Co-operative Societies.
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Note.—Forwarding Charges are added. We guarantee each case to contain its full complement of bottles when despatched, and agree to take back or exchange any Wine that may not be approved of on arrival but not afterwards.

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		We call special attention to these selected Wines for India.		
36 12		AMONTILLADO A 1. rare, and 10 years' old ..... gold seal	35 8	
35 0	...	" MARCOBRUNNER ..... black seal	36 8	
36 4		MONTILLA, extra pale and very dry ..... black seal	37 8	
27 4		AMOROSO, full flavoured, soft, pale ..... black seal	28 8	
24 8		VINO PURO, very pale, dry ..... blue seal	25 8	
23 8		OLOROSO, nutty and dry ..... green seal	24 8	
21 8		MANZANILLA ..... red seal	22 8	
20 12		PALE, medium dry ..... yellow seal	21 8	
19 12		VINO DE PASTO, remarkably pale and very dry ..... pink seal	20 8	
16 12		A GOOD DINNER WINE ..... white seal	17 8	
16 12		MARSALA, VIRGIN, pale, fine flavour ..... yellow seal	17 8	
35 12		MADEIRA, Rich, very superior, two voyages ..... black seal	37 8	
31 0		MADEIRA, excellent Wine ..... red seal	32 8	
		PORT.		
35 0	...	OLD CRUSTED, very choice (some years in bottle)	36 8	...
25 4	27 4	INVALID'S, gold capsule	26 8	28 8
21 8	22 8	DESSERT WINE, superior black seal, soft and mature	22 8	23 8
18 12	20 12	A GOOD FULL WINE, red seal	19 8	21 8
22 8	...	SACRAMENTAL WINE, St. MARTIN'S MALAGA	23 8	...
		SPARKLING GERMAN WINES.		
40 3	42 9	HOCK, NONPAREIL, extra quality, medium dry	42 0	44 8
30 11	33 1	HOCK, SPARKLING RHENISH MERK, very choice	34 0	34 8
28 12	...	HOCK, excellent Wine, recommended	30 0	...
40 3	42 9	MOSELLE, NONPAREIL (extra quality)	42 0	44 8
30 11	33 1	MOSELLE, MUSCATEL (very choice)	32 0	34 8
28 12	...	MOSELLE, excellent Wine, recommended	30 0	...
		CHAMPAGNE.		
47 0	50 0	FINEST EXTRA DRY, a Grand Wine	49 0	52 0
48 0	50 12	WACHTER'S "PRINCE OF WALES'" BRAND	50 0	53 0
29 12	...	Ditto ditto, per hamper of 24 half-pints	31 0	...
40 4	43 0	FINE DRY SPARKLING	42 0	45 0
37 12	41 12	GOOD SPARKLING (Star)	39 8	43 8
30 8	32 10	CARTE BLANCHE (Sibadey's) light, particularly dry	32 0	34 0
22 12	24 8	CARTE ROUGE	23 8	25 8
24 0	...	FINEST SPARKLING SAUMUR	25 0	...
		BORDEAUX—Red.		
31 0	33 0	CHATEAU or MOUTON ..... { After Dinner Wines }	32 8	34 8
26 4	28 4	" RAUZAN ..... { After Dinner Wines }	27 8	29 8
23 8	25 8	" PALMER ..... { After Dinner Wines }	24 8	26 8
20 8	22 8	" LA ROSE ..... { After Dinner Wines }	21 8	23 8
17 12	19 12	ST. JULIEN ..... { After Dinner Wines }	18 8	20 8
15 12	17 12	CANTENAC ..... { After Dinner Wines }	16 8	18 8
14 0	15 12	ST. ESTEPHE, a favourite	14 8	16 8
11 8	13 8	PETIT MEDOC, excellent for Breakfast	12 0	14 0
11 0	13 0	PAUILLAC do. do.	11 8	13 8
		BORDEAUX—White.		
22 8	24 8	HAUT SAUTERNES, delicate flavor, Red	23 8	25 8
17 12	19 12	SAUTERNE (Barsac) light, white capsule	18 8	20 8
14 8	...	GRAVES	15 0	...
		BURGUN